

Amendments to the Specification:

On pages 1 and 18 of the specification, please delete the title and replace with the following:

-- MANAGING ASYNCHRONOUS REQUESTS FOR USER INTERFACE RESOURCES IN  
AN INFORMATION SYSTEM--

On page 1 of the specification, please delete the heading and paragraph under the title, as follows:

~~Related Applications~~

~~Related subject matter is disclosed in U.S. patent application entitled "Information Appliance System Having Ticket Identifiers and Method" having application no. 09/660,064 and filed on the same date herewith.~~